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Following is an account of the racing:—

**TRAMWAY HANDICAP** of 70 sovs.—6 furlongs 50 yards.

Mr. W. J. Forrester's br m Fairfield, by The Drummer— Metilda, 4 years, 8st. (Gallier) .....	1
Mr. H. Ottman, jun., 2s br f Lady Kingsborough, 3 years, 8st. 11b. (Parker) .....	2
Mr. S. A. Blackman's ch m in Busy Bee, 4 years, 7st. 9lb.	3

Mr. John L. Aquila's Rt. George, 7st. 7lb. (Maybin) ...	1
Mr. B. Luttrell's Lillith, 6st. 11lb. (Jamieson) ...	2
Mr. W. McIvor's I Shouldn't Wonder, 7st. 8lb. (Cowell) ...	3
Other starters: Meredith and Ivy.	
Betting: 5 to 2 on I Shouldn't Wonder, 5 to 1 v.	
t. George and Lillith, 10 to 1 v. Meredith and Ivy.	
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hling forward game. Webb, Cole, and Sinclair ably holding the backs. For the Rowing Club, Hornion was conspicuous amongst the backs, McKinnon ng some good kicking. Their forwards played a d all-round game, but lacked combination. Mr. V. acted as umpire in a very satisfactory way. Second Wallarunga and North Shore Church of

The closing of entries for the Speedwell Bicycle Club's road race, has been postponed until Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock.

The race committee appointed to make the necessary arrangements for the New South Wales Cyclists' meeting on 31st August has received some

... committee of the Sydney Harriers will to-night  
the difficulty which arose at the sports meeting

**RTY YEARS.**—The description of a simple remedy, complete cure of deafness and noises in the head standing, has just been effected, will be sent free who applies to J. H. Nicholson, 175, William-bourne.—[ADVT.]

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(From the *Daily News*.)

plausibly consider that they are making the English tongue of the future. However, we may explain America gives us far more phrases than we America. They reach the colonies (which in language are more American than English), and they are

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THE REPORT OF THE BRITISH COMMISSION APPROPRIATE TO THE QUESTION OF SOLDIERS' DIETARY AT THE FRONT. BY THE COMMISSIONERS, J. H. COLEMAN, M. A., AND J. H. COLEMAN, M. A.

the smaller stations it is occasionally not equal to the quality contracted for; that the frozen meat loses value and that the cooking is not of sufficiently good quality. They recommend medical officers and all young regimental officers should be appointed as inspectors of meat, and should be empowered so that they may be able to ascertain whether the quality of the rations they are called on to inspect is equal to the standard quality required. They recommend that the quality of the rations should be given 10 per cent. extra weight, to make it equivalent to rations of home-baked bread. The same quality of flour as the hospital bread should be baked in 2lb. loaves instead of 4lb. loaves, and patent yeast should be used instead of brewer's yeast. The rations should be cooked in a special cooking, in order that every unit may be supplied with a trained cook, and andouvoirs should be made more attractive to the soldier, and to reduce weight to a minimum. The arrangement for cooking and the quality of the soldier's rations are capable of considerable improvement. The cooking apparatus in many of the older barracks is of an obsolete type, consuming much fuel and yielding little. The kitchen ranges in the newer barracks should be introduced into all such barracks so as likely to be used for any extended period. Recipes for the preparation of the rations should be made more complete. More supervision should be put not only over the supplies received, but also over their preparation for the soldiers' meals. At present the commissary is not responsible for the quality of the food, and we recommend that a field officer in each regiment should be appointed to supervise generally the mess and the commissary.

as to the quality of supplies delivered by contractors to the regiment.

**DRY IMPERIAL CHAMPAGNE.**

Proseurs. Moot and Chandon are the largest vine growers and champagne producers in the world. Their dry imperial is the purest champagne selected grapes from their own vineyards of 2500 acres in the choicest districts in France. It can not be sold in the United States without a label. The Imperial is the champagne of the moment. 1884 branded on cork and label.—(Advv.)

It is stated on the highest authority (says a London telegram from Rome) that there is foundation for the suggestion that Monseigneur Parnetti, the Papal Legate to the Vatican, has been ordered to return to Ireland for fear of assassination. It is declared that the reason for his not returning to Ireland is to be found in the fact of his having been appointed by the Pope to a more important position, viz., Secretary of the Propaganda Office. Oriental duties of which would prevent him from holding

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always sure. Crime itself may sometimes be undetected, and even when it is disclosed, criminals may never be traced; the wrong persons may be suspected, and suspicion may never be backed up by proof. We cannot expect a system of things in which criminal justice shall never fail; and we must be content if the law is successful enough to keep up a wholesome fear. Lynch law would not stand upon the resistance which often make it so difficult to prove a man to be guilty; but then Lynch law often condemns the innocent. Civilisation implies safety against unjust punishment, and to have that security it is necessary to insist on an amount of evidence that it is often impossible to secure. By making convictions difficult we pay a great price, but then by making false convictions practically impossible we purchase a great boon; and, fairly estimated, what we buy is worth what it costs us.

The exploration of the "dark continent" has received another strong stimulus by the successful completion of STANLEY's prolonged expedition for the relief of Emin Pasha. It is now over two and a-half years since STANLEY set out, amidst popular acclamation, to rescue Emin, and though the expedition had for its purpose rather a humanitarian than a scientific object, its net result will doubtless be an immense addition to our knowledge of Central Africa. We need not enter into the details of this latest and crowning feat of STANLEY's, as they were fully dealt with in an article which appeared in a *Saturday's Herald*. The public, as a whole, are now familiar with the main outlines of STANLEY's journey, and will not be long, we trust, before the masterhand of the great explorer gives us the complete story, with all its exciting incidents and adventures. We may, however, point out that the work of man like STANLEY is many-sided in its character. It not only adds to our geographical and scientific knowledge, but it clears the way for the introduction of mental, physical and physical advancement amongst the dense population of Central Africa. New outlets for trade are developed, and commerce is stimulated in every direction. The missionary and the trader vie with each other for the possession of the new land of Promise, and the ignorant savage soon awakens to the knowledge of the fact that the white people from the far-off land take a keen interest in both his material and religious welfare. He learns gradually to wear the garments and speak the language of the stranger, and the civilised customs slowly, but surely, take root in his mind. These are some of the direct results of the work which STANLEY has spent the best years of his life in performing; but there are also indirect results, equally valuable, though at first sight less obvious. By a kind of reflex action, these achievements react on our civilisation, and stimulate us to greater efforts in the future. The books of STANLEY, written as they are by the cunning hand of a practical journalist, have had a wholesome, quickening action upon the minds of both young and old, and have tended largely to keep alive that enthusiasm which the pessimistic school declares are rapidly losing. The national appetite for discovery has been whetted, not satisfied; the human instincts have been aroused, and the cry *Cui bono?* is no longer heard in the land when a large sum is required for the rescue of an unfortunate explorer, for the extension of geographical knowledge, or for the abolition of that most revolting institution, the African slave trade.

MR. BRUCE SMITH, Minister for Works, has accepted the tender of Mr. Morrison Stewart for the supply of ironwork for the Reibouras bridge, consisting of some 430 tons of iron. The amount of the tender was £7800. The whole of the work is to be completed by the end of the year. The bridge is to be constructed in the colony was from Mr. R. F. Ritchie of Auburn; his price was £10,283 15s. 8d. Another tender for construction in the colony was received from Messrs. Hudson Bros., at £10,100. The bridge is to be constructed in the colony was from Mr. R. F. Ritchie of Auburn; his price was £10,283 15s. 8d. Another tender for construction in the colony was received from Messrs. Hudson Bros., at £10,100.

TURNBULL next has been proclaimed a public house in the electoral district of Morpeth, in consequence of the Singapore Free Press, in a supplementary Gazette, issued on Saturday.

It is satisfactory to be able to state that an improvement has taken place in the condition of some of the bar harbours up north since Saturday. The weather at most of the Northern rivers has been very dry, and the quantity of produce which in the ordinary course would have reached Sydney 10 or 12 days ago have remained in the hands of the producers and shippers, in some instances involving considerable loss. For the past fortnight these streams have been at the Melbury River, with cargoes on board, and ready to leave for Sydney, and the Woodburn and Dunes of the South were enabled to enter, much to the joy of their respective passengers. These boats have been having off and on for several days past, alternately making an attempt to get over the bar, and running back to Trial Bay for shelter from the tempestuous wind and sea. The steamer *Coral* is once more liberated from the steamer *Alex*, Lawrence, and Electric have resumed their running, and with a continuance of low water, it may be expected that the whole of the coastal steam and sailing will again be in commission.

The Railway Commissioners, in view of their having a central goods station at Darling Harbour, have commenced the erection of a commodious goods shed there. The larger scheme, to which reference has been made in the *Herald* before, remains in statu quo, for, although Darling Island was purchased by the Government on the recommendation of the Commissioners, the Government has decided to do nothing with it until the title of the vendors has been examined. The title is now in the hands of the Crown Law Office.

ALREADY the Railway Commissioners have given employment to some 150 men at the work of widening out the main Southern line, and they propose to employ 500 more on Monday next, by which time it is expected the money for the work will be voted by Parliament. The Government has decided to give to local manufacturers all work that can possibly be done in the colony, even though it should cost a little more, and the Minister for Works has made special efforts in the interest of the iron trade, so that within a week or two will be available for a large number of men. Under the circumstances the whole of the unemployed will be soon employed in the colony.

Mr. Gosson, hydraulic engineer, is proceeding with the work which he undertook some weeks ago at the request of the Minister for Works for surveying the Hunter River and the surrounding country, with the object of ascertaining if any practical scheme can be devised for minimising the floods.

Mr. Gordon has not yet forwarded a progress report to the Minister concerning the result of his investigation, but will probably do so shortly.

The first session of the eighth year of the Church of England in the diocese of Sydney will be commenced to-morrow. The members of the synod will meet in the cathedral at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, when divine service will be held, and the holy communion administered. The synod will meet for business in the Chapter House at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, when the roll will be called, and an address will be delivered by the president, the Very Rev. the Dean of Sydney. The various matters on the business-paper will afterwards be dealt with.

This expedition recently undertaken by the Administrator of British New Guinea into the interior of that country collected a large number of specimens having an important bearing on natural science in its various branches. The *Brisbane Courier* says it had been confidently expected by all those who take an interest in the subject that great value would attach itself to these, on account of the exceptionally high altitudes at which many of them were obtained. Such has been the case, and the expedition has been a large number of rare and in some cases hitherto unknown botanical, entomological, and other specimens having been brought to Brisbane by Sir William Macgregor, who has transmitted them to various experts for classification. The distinguished scientist Baron von Mueller, who in a recent communication remarks as follows:—"In exploring Alpine plants, consummate care is needed to trace their mutual connection with other Alpine plants. You seem to have found a new species of *Androsace*, that is, a species that has not been recorded before, though it may only have occurred there in a dwarfed state." In a telegram, dated 5th instant, Baron von Mueller reports the specimens as being sorted, and again adverts to the great value of the expedition, but has stated that he has not yet been able to find any of the specimens already found on high ranges of mountains in other parts of the world. Baron von Mueller further states that he will be sent to New Guinea, and Brisbane so soon as the examination is completed, which will likely be the end of September. The expedition, which was led by Sir William Macgregor, was accompanied by Mr. W. H. Miles, who has kindly consented to undertake their inspection, and the Queensland Government will cause the geological specimens to be reported on by their own staff of mineralogists. Detailed reports on these interesting subjects will be eagerly looked for by scientific bodies generally, and they may be expected at an early date. Some very rare and beautiful birds which were shot during the expedition have been submitted to Mr. C. W. De Vis, curator of the museum, who is already engaged in working making extensive reports into the whole history of New Guinea ornithology, and who will report on these latest additions during the course of the next three months. The Hon. Sir William Macgregor, of Sydney, was asked to examine the snakes, &c., collected during the expedition, but has stated that he has no regrets that the state of his health precludes him from doing any work, and this collection has accordingly been handed to Mr. De Vis for examination and report. It will, however, be several months before this task can be completed.

MESSRS. HUNTER BROTHERS are taking steps to revive the company originally formed to carry out the building of a railway line from the city to the coast, and would have come into existence at that time but for the fact that suitable arrangements could not be made with the Railway Department for the carriage of the material. Now, however, there is every prospect of a satisfactory arrangement being made with the Railway Department, and within a few days the promoters of the company, in which Mr. R. Hudson takes a leading part, will have something tangible to work upon. The proposal is to have a railway line from the city to the coast, and the company has already secured the necessary rights of way, and the land has been surveyed, and the line is already supplied with cooling chambers.

The growth of the coal trade of New South Wales has been so great that the output has more than doubled within the last ten years, and during the last twenty years it has increased 348 times. The total quantity of coal consumed in the colony and exported to other colonies was 1,838,188 tons, valued at £1,679,380. The quantity consumed in the colony is estimated at 1,580,625 tons; that exported to other colonies is 257,563 tons. The average price for 1888 was 11s. 1d. per ton. The quantity of coal consumed in the colony and exported to other colonies was 1,838,188 tons, valued at £1,679,380. The quantity consumed in the colony is estimated at 1,580,625 tons; that exported to other colonies is 257,563 tons.

MR. J. B. DREWITT, who for a number of years was Manager of the Melbourne Public Library, died suddenly at his residence, No. 33, Glenview-street, Paddington, on Saturday morning, from an apoplectic stroke. The deceased was in his usual health on the previous day. He leaves a widow and six children. Mr. Drewitt was well known in the colony, and was a member of the National Hagitta Committee, and belonged to the Prince Alfred Yacht Club. He was 39 years of age.

MR. YAMLEY, ex-head of the sanitary section of F. Lamet and Co., Limited, has been selected to fill the position of manager to the Plumbers Association of New South Wales. On Friday evening a meeting of the recent fellow-workers was held to present him with a handsome gold watch and gold pencil-case. Mr. Schofield, managing director, made the presentation, and referred to the 31 years Mr. Yamley had so faithfully worked for the company. Mr. Yamley, head of department, and Mr. Brown also spoke.

WE are requested by the French Consul and the committee of the *Fête Nationale Française* to state that the balance of their receipts on the occasion of their "fête" on the 19th of July, amounting to £14 9s., has been handed over to the Consul with a view of being devoted to charitable purposes.

THE trial of Dignan and Johnson for an attempt to murder Constable Slater was brought to a conclusion on Saturday at 25 minutes to 3 o'clock, when the jury returned a verdict of not guilty, and the prisoners were discharged. Mr. Justice Foster was three hours and a-half in summing up the evidence, and was well assisted by the learned counsel for the defence. The jury retired at five minutes past 1 o'clock, and were shortly after recalled, and further directed by his Honor, in consequence of a point raised by Mr. Wade on behalf of Johnson, that the jury must be satisfied that Johnson knew Dignan intended to shoot any person attempting to apprehend him. The jury was absent an hour and a-half, and on giving the verdict of not guilty, the foreman stated that they had arrived at the conclusion owing to a doubt as to the prisoner's identity. An unusual scene occurred near the court, when Dignan and Johnson, getting on their feet, were escorted by Constable Slater, who, with a crowd which had assembled, followed for a short distance by a crowd who continued this course of conduct for some minutes.

MR. JOHN BUCKLAND, in reference to the recently engaged in business pursuits, has been an active part in the anti-transportation movement. Since then he has not been prominently connected with public affairs. He was well known as a Wesleyan local preacher. He leaves a widow and a son and daughter.

There will be a repetition of the crimes for which those men were imprisoned.

THE Tasmanian Real Estate Duties Report for 1888 has been published. The total amount collected on the annual value of property and the amount outstanding was £4588 10s. 10d.—making in all £32,572 12s. 2d. real estate duty for the year. Under the new dispensation, a rate on the capital value of property (£21 millions) of 4d. in the £, the amount collected will be about £44,000; so that the Government will have a temporary surplus of £11,427 12s. 2d. after all the labour, expense, and general dissatisfaction at the proposed change, the mountain has brought forth a mouse! Or in other words, an additional £11,000 will be raised, after a fashion, to the annual revenue derived from real estate, for the expenses incident to the new valuation will absorb nearly all the surplus the first year, with every prospect of continual middle for years to come, while the agriculturists and the owners of city property are emphatic in their denunciation of a system of assessment which strikes at the root of their enterprise and industry.

An instance of Customs evasion has occurred in Tasmania which (the *Colonist* says), whilst directly robbing the Treasury, is proving a serious injury to a branch of local industry and to local producers. For many months past there have been imported into Hobart from New Zealand great quantities of salt, and in the last few days a large quantity of salt, port, and on reaching their destination are merely taken out of salt and hung in the smoke-room, being converted into hams and bacon in a few days. In the other colonies imported pork must (the *Colonist* writes) be in "salt pieces," thus preventing the possibility of the fraud on the frontier, and which is being successfully accomplished in Tasmania, with a result very detrimental to local producers and curers. Formerly there was a large demand in Hobart for Lancashire hams and bacon, whilst the mining colonies were dependent on the supply by Lancashire curers, but at present the New Zealand article, by an evasion of the just duty, is rapidly supplanting the local production.

The tramway to Dulwich Hill is to be opened on Wednesday.

A monthly meeting of the Photographic Association will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the Temperance Hall.

The adjourned meeting in connection with the sale of the contents of the Sydney will be held in the Centenary Hall this evening.

WICKLIFFE, the Morning Star of the Reformation, is the subject of a lecture to be delivered by Rev. R. D. Macgregor at the Temperance Hall this evening.

The third lecture of the Y. M. C. A. winter course will be given to-night by the Rev. R. D. Macgregor, on "Destruction of Pompeii." The Hon. E. Knox will preside.

THE TRIAL OF GENERAL BOULANGER.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, SATURDAY.

Shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday morning a fire broke out in Robt's Buildings, at the corner of Collins and King streets. The building is of five stories. The lower floor was occupied by the Commercial Bank of Australia, the floor above by James Fry, grain merchant, and the third, fourth, and fifth stories by the Railway Department as the Traffic and Office, the office of the Stores Department, and the office of the Public Library. The fire started in the lower floor, and spread rapidly to the upper floors. The fire was extinguished by the fire engine, and the damage was not serious. The fire was caused by a gas lamp, and the fire was caused by a gas lamp, and the fire was caused by a gas lamp.

The trial of General Boulanger on a charge of embezzling public funds when he was War Minister in M. de Freycinet's Cabinet of 1890-97 is being proceeded with in Paris before the Senatorial High Court of Justice.

It was elicited in the evidence for the prosecution to-day that General Boulanger arranged with the agents of Prince Victor Bonaparte to promote a *coup d'etat* in favour of the Bonaparte dynasty, and that portfolios were even allotted in the new Cabinet which was to have been formed. The arrest of M. Grévy, who was then President of the French Republic, was also arranged.

THE CRETAN INSURRECTION.

ENGLAND'S ACTION SUPPORTED BY THE TRIPLE ALLIANCE.

TURKISH NOTE TO THE POWERS.

(BY CABLE.)

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, AUG. 10.

Germany, Austria, and Italy support Great Britain in her reply to the Greek note to the Powers, advising Greece to refrain from taking any action in connection with the insurrection against Turkish rule in the island of Crete. The three Powers named decline to interfere with Turkey.

THE FORTE HAS DISPATCHED A CIRCULAR NOTE TO THE POWERS DENYING THE IMPUTATION THAT IT IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE GROWTH OF THE RISING IN CRETE.

RUSSIA AND GERMANY.

THE CZAR'S VISIT TO BERLIN.

(BY CABLE.)

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, AUG. 10.

The Czar of Russia, accompanied by the Czarowitz, the Grand Duke Nicholas, will arrive in Berlin on the 24th instant on a visit to the Emperor William.

THE GOVERNORSHIP OF THE CAPE.

AN INCREASE IN SALARY VOTED.

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CABLEGRAMS.

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MISS CORNWELL'S MINING AND GENERAL COMPANY.

LONDON, AUG. 10.

The prospectus of the British-Australian Mining, Trust, and Investment Company has been issued. The capital proposed is half a million sterling. The London directors include the Right Hon. Lord Suffield, the Hon. Edward N. C. Braddon (Agent-General for Tasmania), and Mr. Joseph Harold. The Victorian Board of Trustees are the Hon. J. L. Dow, M.L.A., the Hon. D. M. Davies, M.L.A., and the Hon. Henry Gore, M.L.C. Miss Cornwell is to receive the sum of £73,000 for her mining interests and for the floating of the company.

PRIVY COUNCIL APPEAL CASE.

LONDON, AUG. 10.

The appeal to the Privy Council in the case of Colquhoun v. Brooks has been dismissed. The Lords of Appeal decided that appellants are liable to payment of income tax, but only upon his income realised in England.

A NEW MINING COMPANY.

LONDON, AUG. 11.

The New Diaseal Mining Company has been registered, with a capital of £150,000.

THE SHAH OF PERSIA.

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The Shah of Persia, who has lately been on a visit to Paris, is now at Baden Baden.

COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, AUG. 10.

At yesterday's public auction of Australian tallow the number of cases sold was 1650, of which 1375 cases were sold. Medium mutton realised 20s. 3d.; medium beef, 24s. 3d.

The present average quotation for foreign fencing wire is £1 10s. per ton.

Malt—French, 30s. is quoted at £2 8s. per quarter; Scotch, £1 16s.

Three months bills are quoted at 2½.

The quotation for bar gold is 77s. 9d.; bar silver is quoted at 3s. 6d.

The English wheat market is steady, the Continental markets are unchanged, and the American market is changing a little for the worse.

New Zealand wheat, long-bred, is quoted at average 38s. 6d., on passage 35s.

The present value of Mark-lane of English wheat—red averages 31s. 6d., white 34s. 6d.

THE TRIAL OF GENERAL BOULANGER.

A BONAPARTIST COUP D'ETAT.

THE ARREST OF EX-PRESIDENT GREVY PLANNED.

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The trial of General Boulanger on a charge of embezzling public funds when he was War Minister in M. de Freycinet's Cabinet of 1890-97 is being proceeded with in Paris before the Senatorial High Court of Justice.

It was elicited in the evidence for the prosecution to-day that General Boulanger arranged with the agents of Prince Victor Bonaparte to promote a *coup d'etat* in favour of the Bonaparte dynasty, and that portfolios were even allotted in the new Cabinet which was to have been formed. The arrest of M. Grévy, who was then President of the French Republic, was also arranged.

THE CRETAN INSURRECTION.

ENGLAND'S ACTION SUPPORTED BY THE TRIPLE ALLIANCE.

TURKISH NOTE TO THE POWERS.

(BY CABLE.)

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, AUG. 10.

Germany, Austria, and Italy support Great Britain in her reply to the Greek note to the Powers, advising Greece to refrain from taking any action in connection with the insurrection against Turkish rule in the island of Crete. The three Powers named decline to interfere with Turkey.

THE FORTE HAS DISPATCHED A CIRCULAR NOTE TO THE POWERS DENYING THE IMPUTATION THAT IT IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE GROWTH OF THE RISING IN CRETE.

RUSSIA AND GERMANY.

THE CZAR'S VISIT TO BERLIN.

(BY CABLE.)

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The Czar of Russia, accompanied by the Czarowitz, the Grand Duke Nicholas, will arrive in Berlin on the 24th instant on a visit to the Emperor William.

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 Causes of losses - Sailing vessels - 100,000 tons ;

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**ENGLISH SHIPPING.**  
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ed on the way home, and

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infant was found by Constable S. Main near St. Mary's Cathedral.

lived, and bore bruises on the legs  
owed to the South Sydney Mergers  
be informed.

James Martin, Joseph Isherwood, and  
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chfield, was taken to the Prince of  
a unconscious condition. The  
a consequence of his residence at  
found him at his residence after  
opium-poisoning.

**THE SINGLE TAX.**

**EDITOR OF THE HERALD.**

THE UNIMPROVED VALUE OF ALL LAND  
which single-taxers have been  
the principle; but the illogical-  
their argument are invariably  
of marvellous increase in the  
suggested land-tax scheme. The  
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duction, thus:—Tax the interest  
and, certainly, the interest  
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us' would entail universal poverty  
a wild scheme for taxing the  
producing wealth. I am, Sir,  
Yours, &c.

kin of larvae and children, in  
her, winter or summer Prevents  
happening.—[ADVT.]







**NORTH SHORE LAND SALE, GOOLIATTA.**  
The AUCTIONEERS will be on the Ground NEXT  
SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

Prices, £2 to £4 per foot. Deposits, £5 and £10 per lot.

PLANS ON THE GROUND and at the Rooms of the Auctioneers,

MILLS, PILL, and WILSON,  
125, Pitt-street, Sydney.

FOR SALE, a 10-roomed HOUSE, stable and  
burragehouse, large lawn, 1000 ft. deep, mallee,  
good and coal tract, rent £11, lot of 23 1/2 to point, bog  
ground, must be sold. Castlereagh-street, Builders.

THREE, handsome Cottage VILLAS, every room  
£150 to £200. Nevill, Grove-street, Marley, the Heights.

**Auction Sales.**  
HORSES, VEHICLES AND HARNESS.  
GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, on  
THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, all lots specially adver-  
tised, and at 12 o'clock, all lots specially advertised.  
Regular sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Campdenay at  
four o'clock on Thursdays.  
LIVERY.—In this department charges moderate, and best  
of forage.  
**RACING MAKE DORA.**  
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr.  
G. A. Hilly to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Pri-  
vate Street, THIS DAY, Monday, at 12 o'clock, all

**DORA**, bay mare, winner of several races. Pedigree and performance at sale.

**RACING POY, CREAMY.**

**GEORGE KISS** has received instructions from Mr. H. Brown to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Piccadilly, THIS Monday, at 12 o'clock.

**CREAMY**, cream pony mare, 14 hands, winner of several races.

**TURNOUTS.**

**GEORGE KISS** has received instructions to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, Piccadilly, THIS DAY, Monday, at 12 o'clock.

His gilding, single-seated hooded buggy and harness.

FOR SALE WITHOUT RESERVE.  
HANDSOME SADDLE TONY.  
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. J. C. Graham, Jamaica, to sell by auction, at the Rooms, 1111 Broadway, this day, Monday, at 12 o'clock, a splendid creamy pony, about 12 hands, 4 years old, perfectly quiet, and a good hackney.  
2 JAMBERO HORSES.  
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. J. C. Graham, Jamaica, to sell by auction, at the Rooms, 1111 Broadway, this day, Monday, at 12 o'clock, a pair of fine upstanding bay geldings, 4 years old, and a pair of fine upstanding bay geldings, 4 years old, and a pair of fine upstanding bay geldings, 4 years old.

broken to saddle, single and double harness, and run well together.

**2 SOUTH COUNTRY HORSES.**

**G**EOERGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. J. Moffatt, Gerington, Mo., to sell by auction at the Gerington, Pitt-street, this day, Monday, at 12 o'clock, a broken saddle, broken harness, and a chestnut gelding, broken to saddle and harness.

**6 FRESH COUNTRY HORSES.**

**G**EOERGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. D. Macdonald, Albion Park, to sell by auction, at the Gerington, Pitt-street, to-morrow, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock, six first-class harness horses in good condition, &c.

**GEORGE KISS** has received instructions from the Secretary **Laternal's** Club to sell by auction, at the **Manassas**, **Pitt-street**, on **MONDAY**, the **19th** inst, at **11 o'clock**.

The right to entrance gate, St. **Leger** **Reveries**, house, &c., for above meeting, to be held at **Handover**, on **Saturday**, the **24th** inst.

**HOMEBUSH SALE YARDS.**

**BROWN BROS.** and **CO.** will sell by auction, at **Homebush Sale Yards**, **THIS DAY**, at **10 a.m.**, **150** prime fat **wethers** per **rail** from **Scobie**, on account

**BROWN BROS. AND CO.** have received instructions from the owners to sell by auction, at their Horse Bazaar, Coleridge-street, LIME DAY, at 11 AM

**HEAVY and active draught horses and geldings**  
**BLU-GY Horses and Carriage Teams**  
**HARNESS, VEHICLES, SADDLES and BRIDLES, &c.**

**N.B.—CAMPERDOWN SALES ANY AFTERNOON.**  
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done to sell by auction, at their City Horse market, Castlereagh-street, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock a.m.

**BROWN & GILLING**, broken to saddle and harness, a good hack.

**TWO USEFUL HORSES. CAN BE HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.**

**BROWN BROS. and CO.** have received instructions from J. R. Mettingham, Esq., of Brindley Park, to sell by auction, at their City Horse Market, Castlereagh-street, **TU-MORROW**, at 11 o'clock a.m.

Bay draught gelding, thoroughly stanch in harness, and broken to all kinds of farm work.

Bay mare, very quiet, moor in single and double harness, and a fast mover.

The above horses have been constantly used by Mr. Beington, at Oakland, and only sold on account of his having no further use for them.

TO HORSE BREEDERS and Others.

**IMPORTANT SALE OF STALLIONS THIS MONTH.**

**BROWN BROS. and CO.,** will have a special sale of **STUD HORSES**, on **FRIDAY, 16th August, at 11 a.m.**, for the incoming season.

Instructions already to hand of some **HIGH-CLASS** and **PROBATIONARY** stallions, **COACHING**, and **DRAUGHT** STALLIONS, to arrive from **SOUTH AUSTRALIA**. Owners will kindly forward particulars of horses intended for sale.

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**SINGLETON SHOW.**—**SINGLETON SHOW.**

**IMPORTANT SALE**  
OF  
**PURE-BRED BIRMINGHAM BULLS,**  
from the  
**WELL-KNOWN ST. AUBIN'S STUD.**

**SINGLETON SHOW GROUND, 10th AUGUST.**

**BROWN BROS. AND CO.** have received instructions from Messrs. Bakewell Bros., of St. Aubin's, to sell by auction, on the Singleton Show Ground, August 10th, 48 pure-bred Birmingham Bulls, from two to three years old, of the well-known Old brand, by Messrs. Derrimut, by 24th Duke of Derrimut, from The Duke of

Also, for SALE: OWNERS,  
Bay colt, one year old, by Musketeer, dam Myra, by  
Easily imported.  
Bay colt, one year old, by Musketeer, dam Emy, by  
Easily imported.

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Full particulars at time of sale.  
**PRELIMINARY NOTICE.**  
**CAMPERDOWN YARDS.**  
**WOMBEAN HORSES.**

**BROWN BROS. and CO.** have received instructions from **T. A. Murray**, of Milreia station, to sell by auction, at the same place, **30 Acres of land**, with **30 Cattle and 30 Horses**, suitable for **LIGHT HARBOR**, and **30 Acres of land**, with **30 Cattle and 30 Horses**, suitable for **LIGHT HARBOR**. The land is in **excellent condition**, and **good** for **immediate sale**.

**BROWN BROS. and CO.** will sell privately,  
their HAZAR, THIS DAY,  
To select a VERY FINE  
1 superior FIRST AYSBIRIE BULL  
Also, a NEW-CLASS CLYDESDALE EXTENS  
CUL  
THIS DAY, at 11 O'CLOCK,  
AT FRITCH'S NEW ROOMS,  
209, OXFORD-STREET, 209, OXFORD-STREET,  
opposite COURTLAND'S, the  
GREAT Lot of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,  
Under a BILL of Sale.  
Will sell as above. Consignments re-  
ceived daily. Prompt cash.  
TO DEALERS, CLOTHES, &c.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 3 p.m.  
**M. V. SOLOMON and CO.** will sell by auction, a  
 large quantity of clothing, ornaments, tinware, fancy  
 goods, sundries, &c.  
**TERMS, CASH. NO RESERVE.**  
**NEWTOWN MARKETS' STOCK and SALE YARDS.**  
**M. V. SOLOMON and CO.,**  
 Auctioneers and Valuers.  
**UNREDEEMED SUNDRIES and JEWELLERY.**  
 THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.  
**M. V. SOLOMON and CO.** will sell by auction, at his Rooms,

P. LINSEK will sell by auction  
on Friday, 11th inst., at 11 o'clock,  
No. 274, Pitt-street, LILLIAN MARY, at 11 o'clock.  
The undersigned sundries and jeweller pawned with  
J. Williamson, of Blount-street, Newcastle, consisting of  
Gold and silver letter watches, gold alibis and chains,  
Fancy, signet, keeper, and wedding rings, brooches  
Earrings, necklets, lockets, trinkets &c.

**UNDER BILL OF SALE.**

to Gentlemen in search of High-class Furniture, Dealers  
and others.

**SAUNDERS and CO.** have received instructions to  
sell by public auction, on the premises, 24, Leicester-  
street, London, opposite Eddie's, the contents of a gentleman's

The whole of the superior furniture of a  
3-roomed private residence.  
The whole is furnished throughout in the very best style,  
and the whole of the said furniture, &c., is of the latest  
design.  
The above sale will take on **TUESDAY, August 15, at 10  
a. m.**, when the whole of the said furniture, &c., will be sold  
to the highest bidder.

**TERMS, CASH.**  
**Auctioneer: Offices and Rooms—136 and 138, Riley-street.**

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**SURRY HILLS.**—Nice new th

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